

June 20, 2017

Marlene H. Dortch, Secretary Federal Communications Commission Office of the Secretary 445 12th Street, SW Washington, DC 20554

Re: WC Docket No. 14-58

2017 Form 481 Annual Report of Rural Telephone Service Co., Inc dba Nex-

Tech

Study Area Code 411826

Dear Ms. Dortch:

Rural Telephone Service Company, In. dba Nex-Tech (Nex-Tech) the attached confidential version of the FCC Form 481 ETC annual reporting information pursuant to sections 54.313 and 54.422 of the Commission's rules. Nex-Tech seeks confidential treatment under Protective Order for section 54.313(f)(2) financial information. The redacted version is being filed this date via the FCC's Electronic Comment Filing System.

Please direct any questions regarding the filing to the undersigned.

Sincerely:

David L. Graham

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FCC For	rm 481 - Carrier Annual Reporting Data Collection Form		FCC Form 481 OMB Control No. 3060-0986/OMB Control No. 3060-0819 July 2013
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	Form Type	54.313 and 54.422	

(200) Service Outage Reporting (Voice)	FCC Form 481
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<039>	Contact Email	Address - Ema	il Address of pe	rson identified	in data line <0	30> dgraham@nex	c-tech.com					
<210>	For the prior	r calendar yea	ar, were there	any reportal	ole voice serv	ice outages?	No					
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	NORS									Did This Outage		
	Reference	<b>Outage Start</b>	Outage Start	Outage End	Outage End	Number of		911 Facilities	Service Outage	Affect Multiple		
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Number	Date	Time	Date		<b>Customers Affected</b>	Total Number of	Affected	Description (Check	Study Areas	Service Outage	Preventative
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	fulfilled Service Request lection Form				FCC Form 481 OMB Control No. 3060-0986/OMB Control July 2013	No. 3060-0819
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<035>	Contact Telephone Number - Number of person	n identified in data line <030>	7855674281 ext.1233			
<039>	Contact Email Address - Email Address of perso	n identified in data line <030>	dgraham@nex-tech.com			
<300> U	Infulfilled service request (voice)		0			
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		Nam	e of Attached Document			
<320>	Unfulfilled service request (broadband)		3			
		411826KS330.pdf				
<330> Detail on attempts (broadband)						
		N	Name of Attached Document		·	

(400) Number of Complaints per 1,000 customers	FCC Form 481
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<400>	Select from the drop-down list to indicate how you w voice complaints (zero or greater) for voice telephon calendar year for each service area in which you are any facilities you own, operate, lease, or otherwise u	y service in the prior Offered only fixed voice designated an ETC for
<410>	Complaints per 1000 customers for fixed voice	0.0
<420>	Complaints per 1000 customers for mobile voice	
<430>	Select from the drop-down list to indicate how you wend-user customer complaints (zero or greater) for the prior calendar year for each service area in which an ETC for any facilities you own, operate, lease, or one of the service area.	roadband service in Offered only fixed broadband you are designated
<440>	Complaints per 1000 customers for fixed broadband	0.0
<450>	Complaints per 1000 customers for mobile broadbar	d

	npliance With Service Quality Standards and Consumer Protection Rules ection Form		FCC Form 481 OMB Control No. 3060-0986/OMB Control No. 3060-0819 July 2013					
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<500>	Certify compliance with applicable service quality standards and consumer pr	otection rules Yes						
		411826KS510.pdf						
<510>	•							
<515>	Certify compliance with applicable minimum service standards							

(600) Functionality in Emergency Situations	FCC Form 481
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<600>	Certify compliance regarding ability to function in emergency situations	Yes
<610>	Descriptive document for Functionality in Emergency Situations	411826KS610.pdf

(700) P	rice Offerings including Voice Rate Data		FCC Form 481
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	Residential Local Service Charge Effective Date  1/1/2017  Single State-wide Residential Local Service Charge		

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					Residential Local			Mandatory Extended Area	
	State	Exchange (ILEC)	SAC (CETC)	Rate Type	Service Rate	State Subscriber Line Charge	State Universal Service Fee	Service Charge	Total per line Rates and Fees
					See at	tached worksheet			
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(710) Broadbrand Price Offerings	FCC Form 481
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	State	Exchange (ILEC)	Residential Rate	State Regulated Fees	Total Rate and Fees	Broadband Service - Download Speed (Mbps)	Broadband Service - Upload Speed (Mbps)	Usage Allowance (GB)	Usage Allowance Action Taken When Limit Reached {select }
				- See attacl	ned				
			,	worksheet					

(800) Operating Companies	FCC Form 481		
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<810>	Reporting Carrier	Rural Telephone Service Co., Inc.	
<811>	Holding Company	Rural Telephone Service Co., Inc	
<812>	Operating Company	Rural Telephone Service Co., Inc. dba Nex-Te	ech

<813>	<a1></a1>	<a2></a2>	<a3></a3>
	Affiliates	SAC	Doing Business As Company or Brand Designation
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(900) Tri	bal Lands Reporting		FCC Form 481
	lection Form		OMB Control No. 3060-0986/OMB Control No. 3060-0819
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<900>	Does the filing entity offer tribal land services? (Y/N)	No	
<910>	Tribal Land(s) on which ETC Serves		
<920>	Tribal Government Engagement Obligation		
		Name of Attached	Document
		Nume of Accounts	- Document
If your o	company serves Tribal lands, please select (Yes,No, NA) for each these boxes		
	rm the status described on the attached PDF, on line 920,		
	trates coordination with the Tribal government pursuant to	Select	
	3(a)(9) includes:	Yes or No or	
		Not Applicable	
<921>	Needs assessment and deployment planning with a focus on Tribal		
	community anchor institutions.		
<922>	Feasibility and sustainability planning;		
<923>	Marketing services in a culturally sensitive manner;		
<924>	Compliance with Rights of way processes		
<925>	Compliance with Land Use permitting requirements		
<926>	Compliance with Facilities Siting rules		
<927>	Compliance with Environmental Review processes		
<928>	Compliance with Cultural Preservation review processes		
<929>	Compliance with Tribal Business and Licensing requirements.		
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	oice and Broadband Service Rate Comparability lection Form		FCC Form 481 OMB Control No. 3060-0986/OMB Control No. 3060-0819 July 2013
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<1000>	Voice services rate comparability certification	Yes	
<1010>	Attach detailed description for voice services rate comparability compliance	41182	26KS1010.pdf
			Name of Attached Document
<1020>	Broadband comparability certification		- Pricing is no more than the most recent applicable benchmark announced by Wireline Competition Bureau
<1030>	Attach detailed description for broadband comparability compliance	41182	6KS1020.pdf
			Name of Attached Document

-	lo Terrestrial Backhaul Reporting llection Form			FCC Form 481 OMB Control No. 3060-0986/OMB Control No. 3060-0819 July 2013
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<039>	Contact Email Address - Email Address of person identified in data line <030>	dgrah	am@nex-tech.com	
<1100>	Certify whether terrestrial backhaul options exist (Y/N)		Yes	
<1130>	Please select the appropriate response (Yes, No, Not Applicable) to confirm the reporting carrier offers broadband service of at least 1 Mbps downstream and 256 upstream within the supported area pursuant to § 54.313(g).	6 kbps		

(1200) Te	rms and Condition for Lifeline Customers			FCC Form 481 OMB Control No. 3060-0986/OMB Control No. 3060-0819
	ection Form			July 2013
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<1210>	Terms & Conditions of Voice Telephony Lifeline Plans		411826KS1210.pdf	
				Name of Attached Document
<1220>	Link to Public Website	НТТР		
or the we	neck these boxes below to confirm that the attached document(s), on line 12 bsite listed, on line 1220, contains the required information pursuant to (a)(2) annual reporting for ETCs receiving low-income support, carriers must report:	10,		
<1221>	Information describing the terms and conditions of any voice telephony service plans offered to Lifeline subscribers,	<b>√</b>		
<1222>	Details on the number of minutes provided as part of the plan,	✓		
<1223>	Additional charges for toll calls, and rates for each such plan.	<b>✓</b>		

(2005) P	rice Cap Carrier Additional Documentation		FCC Form 481
Data Col	lection Form		OMB Control No. 3060-0986/OMB Control No. 3060-0819
Including	Rate-of-Return Carriers affiliated with Price Cap Local Exchange Carriers		July 2013
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Select the appropriate responses below (Yes, No, Not Applicable) to note compliance as a recipient of Incremental High Cost support, High Cost support to offset access charge reductions, and Connect America Phase II support as set forth in 47 CFR § 54.313(b),(c),(d),(e). The information reported on this form and in the documents attached below is accurate.

# **Incremental Connect America Phase I reporting**

<2011>	3rd Year Certification 47 CFR §54.313(b)(1)(ii) - Note that for the July 2017 certification, this applies to Round 2 recipients of Incremental Support.		
<2022>	Recipient certifies, representing year three after filing a notice of acceptance of funding pursuant to 54.312(c), that the locations in question are not receiving support under the Broadband Initiatives Program or the Broadband Technology Opportunities Program for		
<2023>	projects that will provide broadband with speeds of at least 4 Mbps/1Mbps - 54.313(b)(2)(i). Round 2 recipients only. The attachment on line 2024 includes a statement of the total amount of capital funding expended in the previous year in meeting Connect America Phase I deployment obligations, accompanied by a list of census blocks indicating where funding was spent. This covers year three - 54.313(b)(2)(ii). Round 2 recipients only.		
<2024A>	Round 2 Recipient of Incremental Support?		
<2024B>	Attach list of census blocks indicating where funding was spent in year three - 54.313(b)(2)(ii). Round 2 recipients only.	Name of Attached Document Listing Required Information	
<2025A>	Round 2 Recipient of Incremental Support?		
<2025B>	Attach geocoded Information for Phase I milestone reports (Round 2 for year three) - Connect America Fund , WC Docket 10-90, Report and Order, FCC 13-73, paragraph 35 (May 22, 2013).	Name of Attached Document Listing Required Information	
<2015>	2016 and future Frozen Support Certification 47 CFR § 54.313(c)(4)		

Data Collection F	Carrier Additional Documentation orm Return Carriers affiliated with Price Cap Local Exchange Carriers	FCC Form 481 OMB Control N July 2013	io. 3060-0986/OMB Control No. 3060-0819
•	co Carrier Connect America ICC Support {47 CFR § 54.313(d)}		
<2016>	Certification support used to build broadband		
Connect	America Phase II Reporting {47 CFR § 54.313(e)}		
<2017A>	Connect America Fund Phase II recipient?		
<2017C>	Total amount of Phase II support, if any, the price cap carrier used for capital expenditures in 2016.		
<2018>	Attach the number, names, and addresses of community anchor institutions to which the carrier newly began providing access to broadband service in the preceding calendar year - 54.313(e)(1)(ii)(A)	Name of Attached Document Listing Required Information	
<2019>	Recipient certifies that it bid on category one telecommunications and Internet access services in response to all FCC Form 470 postings seeking broadband service that meets the connectivity targets for the schools and libraries universal service support program for eligible schools and libraries located within any area in a census block where the carrier is receiving Phase II model-based support, and that such bids were at rates reasonably comparable to rates charged to eligible schools and libraries in urban areas for comparable offerings - 54.313(e)(1)(ii)(C)		

(3005) Rate Of Return Carrier Additional Documentation	FCC Form 481
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Select from the drop down menu or check the boxes below to note compliance with 54.313(f)(1). Privately held carriers must ensure compliance with the financial reporting requirements set forth in 47 CFR 54.313(f)(2). I further certify that the information reported on this form and in the documents attached below is accurate.

(3009)	Progress Report on 5 Year Plan			
(3009)	Carrier certifies to 54.313(f)(1)(iii)			
(3010A)	Certification of Public Interest Obligations {47 CFR § 54.313(f)(1)(i)}	Yes - Attach Cer		on 11826KS3010B.pdf
(3010B)	Please Provide Attachment	Name of Attached Document Listing Req Information	quired	
(3012A)	Community Anchor Institutions {47 CFR § 54.313(f)(1)(ii)}	Yes - Attach New Community Anchors	Co	ommunity_Anchor_Institution_Template.xlsm
(3012B)	Please Provide Attachment	Name of Attached Document Listing Req		
(3013)	Is your company a Privately Held ROR Carrier {47 CFR § 54.313(f)(2)}	(Yes/No)	_	
(3014)	If yes, does your company file the RUS annual report	(Yes/No)		
	Please check these boxes to confirm that the attached PDF, on line 3017, contains the required information pursuant to § 54.313(f)(2) compliance requires:			
(3015)	Electronic copy of their annual RUS reports (Operating Report for Telecommunications Borrowers)	_ <u> </u>		
(3016)	Document(s) with Balance Sheet, Income Statement and Statement of Cash Flows	<b>*</b>	[·	411826KS3017A.pdf
(3017)	If the response is yes on line 3014, attach your company's RUS annual report and all required documentation	Name of Attached Document Listing Req Information	quired	
(3018)	If the response is no on line 3014, is your company audited? If the response is yes on line 3018, please check the boxes below to confirm your submission on line 3026 pursuant to § 54.313(f)(2), contains:	(Yes/No)		
(3019)	Either a copy of their audited financial statement; or (2) a financial report in a format comparable to RUS Operating Report for Telecommunications Borrowers			
(3020)	Document(s) for Balance Sheet, Income Statement and Statement of Cash Flows	L		
(3021)	Management letter and/or audit opinion issued by the independent certified public accountant that performed the company's financial audit. If the response is no on line 3018, please check the boxes below to confirm your submission on line 3026 pursuant to § 54.313(f)(2), contains:			
(3022)	Copy of their financial statement which has been subject to review by an independent certified public accountant; or 2) a financial report in a format comparable to RUS Operating Report for Telecommunications Borrowers			
(3023)	Underlying information subjected to a review by an independent certified public accountant			
(3024)	Underlying information subjected to an officer certification.			
(3025)	Document(s) with Balance Sheet, Income Statement and Statement of Cash Flows			
(3026)	Attach the worksheet listing required information	Name of Attached Document Listing Req Information	quired	

(3005) Rate Of Return Carrier Additional Documentation (Continued)	FCC Form 481
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Financial Data Summary	31175686
(3027) Revenue	26911760
(3028) Operating Expenses	1500625
(3029) Net Income	
(3030) Telephone Plant In Service(TPIS)	198265025
(3031) Total Assets	179822984
(3032) Total Debt	62266925
(3033) Total Equity	117556059
(3034) Dividends	0

(4005) Rural Broadband Experiment Additional Documentation	FCC Form 481
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### 4005 Rural Broadband Experiment

Authorized Rural Broadband Experiment (RBE) recipients must address the certification for public interest obligations, provide a list of newly served community anchor institutions, and provide a list of locations where broadband has been deployed.

## Public Interest Obligations – FCC 14-98 (paragraphs 26-29, 78)

Please address Line 4001 regarding compliance with the Commission's public interest obligations. All RBE participants must provide a response to Line 4001.

**4001**. Recipient certifies that it is offering broadband to the identified locations meeting the requisite public interest obligations consistent with the category for which they were selected, including broadband speed, latency, usage capacity, and rates that are reasonably comparable to rates for comparable offerings in urban areas?

#### Community Anchor Institutions - FCC 14-98 (paragraph 79)

**4003a**. RBE participants must provide the number, names, and addresses of community anchor institutions to which they newly deployed broadband service in the preceding calendar year. On this line, please respond (yes – attach new community anchors, no – no new anchors) to indicate whether this list will be provided.

### If yes to 4003A, please provide a response for 4003B.

relevant geographic area.

<b>4003b</b> . Provide the number, names and addresses of community anchor institutions to which the recipient newly began providing access to	Name of Attached Document Listing Required Information	
broadband service in the preceding calendar year.  Broadband Deployment Locations – FCC 14-98 (par	agraph 80)	
<b>4004a</b> . Attach a list of geocoded locations to which broadband has been deployed as of the June 1st immediately preceding the July 1st filing deadline for the FCC Form 481.	Name of Attached Document Listing Required Information	
<b>4004b</b> . Attach evidence demonstrating that the recipient is meeting the relevant public service obligations for the identified locations. Materials must at least detail the pricing, offered broadband speed and data usage allowances available in the	Name of Attached Document Listing Required Information	

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### TO BE COMPLETED BY THE REPORTING CARRIER, IF THE REPORTING CARRIER IS FILING ANNUAL REPORTING ON ITS OWN BEHALF:

#### Certification of Officer as to the Accuracy of the Data Reported for the Annual Reporting for CAF or LI Recipients

I certify that I am an officer of the reporting carrier; my responsibilities include ensuring the accuracy of the annual reporting requirements for universal service support recipients; and, to the best of my knowledge, the information reported on this form and in any attachments is accurate.

Name of Reporting Carrier: RURAL TEL SERVICE CO

Signature of Authorized Officer: CERTIFIED ONLINE Date 06/19/2017

Printed name of Authorized Officer: Rhonda Goddard

Title or position of Authorized Officer: Chief Financial Officer

Telephone number of Authorized Officer: 7855674281 ext.1177

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## TO BE COMPLETED BY THE REPORTING CARRIER, IF AN AGENT IS FILING ANNUAL REPORTS ON THE CARRIER'S BEHALF:

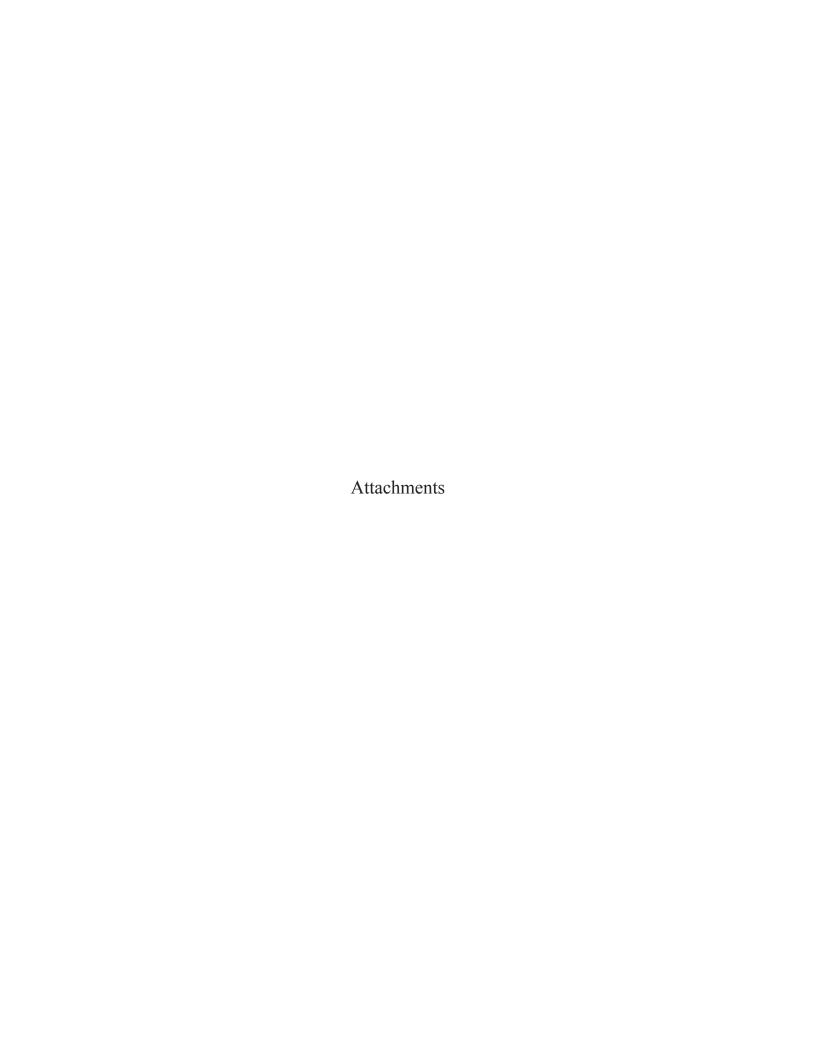
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Name of Authorized Agent:		
Name of Reporting Carrier:		
Signature of Authorized Officer:	Date:	
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# TO BE COMPLETED BY THE AUTHORIZED AGENT:

Certification of Agent Authorized to File Annual Reports for CAF or LI Recipients on Behalf of Reporting Carrier							
	horized to submit the annual reports for universal service support reporting carrier; and, to the best of my knowledge, the informat						
Name of Reporting Carrier:							
Name of Authorized Agent Firm:							
Signature of Authorized Agent or Employee of Agent:		Date:					
Name of Authorized Agent Employee:							
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<701> Residential Local Service Charge Effective Date

<702> Single State-wide Residential Local Service Charge

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State	Exchange (ILEC)	SAC (CETC)	Rate Type	Service Rate	State Subscriber Line Charge	State Universal Service Fee	Service Charge	Total per line Rates and Fees
KS	ATHOL		FR	17.0	0.0	1.11	0.0	18.11
KS	COLLYER		FR	17.0	0.0	1.11	0.0	18.11
KS	DAMAR		FR	17.0	0.0	1.11	0.0	18.11
KS	EDMOND		FR	17.0	0.0	1.11	0.0	18.11
KS	GALATIA		FR	17.0	0.0	1.11	0.0	18.11
KS	HILL CITY		FR	17.0	0.0	1.11	0.0	18.11
KS	JENNINGS		FR	17.0	0.0	1.11	0.0	18.11
KS	LENORA		FR	17.0	0.0	1.11	0.0	18.11
KS	MORLAND		FR	17.0	0.0	1.11	0.0	18.11
KS	NATOMA		FR	17.0	0.0	1.11	0.0	18.11
KS	OLMITZ		FR	17.0	0.0	1.11	0.0	18.11
KS	PALCO		FR	17.0	0.0	1.11	0.0	18.11
KS	QUINTER		FR	17.0	0.0	1.11	0.0	18.11
KS	REXFORD		FR	17.0	0.0	1.11	0.0	18.11
KS	SELDEN		FR	17.0	0.0	1.11	0.0	18.11
KS	VICTORIA		FR	17.0	0.0	1.11	0.0	18.11
KS	WAKEENEY		FR	17.0	0.0	1.11	0.0	18.11
KS	ZURICH		FR	17.0	0.0	1.11	0.0	18.11
KS	PRAIRIE VIEW		FR	17.0	0.0	1.14	0.5	18.64
KS	AGRA		FR	17.0	0.0	1.14	0.5	18.64
KS	ALTON		FR	17.0	0.0	1.14	0.5	18.64

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State	Exchange (ILEC)	SAC (CETC)	Rate Type	Service Rate	State Subscriber Line Charge	State Universal Service Fee	Service Charge	Total per line Rates and Fees
KS	GAYLORD		FR	17.0	0.0	1.14	0.5	18.64
KS	GOVE		FR	17.0	0.0	1.14	0.5	18.64
KS	GRAINFIELD		FR	17.0	0.0	1.14	0.5	18.64
KS	KENSINGTON		FR	17.0	0.0	1.14	0.5	18.64
KS	LOGAN		FR	17.0	0.0	1.14	0.5	18.64
KS	LONG ISLAND		FR	17.0	0.0	1.14	0.5	18.64
KS	WOODRUFF		FR	17.0	0.0	1.14	0.5	18.64
KS	WOODSTON		FR	17.0	0.0	1.14	0.5	18.64
KS	BURR OAK		FR	17.8	0.0	1.16	0.0	18.96
KS	COURTLAND		FR	17.8	0.0	1.16	0.0	18.96
KS	DOWNS		FR	17.8	0.0	1.16	0.0	18.96
KS	ESBON		FR	17.8	0.0	1.16	0.0	18.96
KS	IONIA		FR	17.8	0.0	1.16	0.0	18.96
KS	LEBANON		FR	17.8	0.0	1.16	0.0	18.96
KS	OSBORNE		FR	17.8	0.0	1.16	0.0	18.96
KS	REPUBLIC		FR	17.8	0.0	1.16	0.0	18.96
KS	RUSSELL		FR	17.8	0.0	1.16	0.0	18.96
KS	WEBBER		FR	17.8	0.0	1.16	0.0	18.96

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Sta	te Exchange (ILEC)	Residential Rate	State Regulated Fees	Total Rates and Fees	Broadband Service - Download Speed (Mbps)	Broadband Service -Upload Speed (Mbps)	Usage Allowance (GB)	Usage Allowance Action Taken When Limit Reached {select}
KS	Agra	29.95	0.0	29.95	10.0	3.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
KS	Agra	39.95	0.0	39.95	10.0	10.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
KS	Agra	42.95	0.0	42.95	20.0	3.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
KS	Agra	52.95	0.0	52.95	20.0	20.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
KS	Agra	57.95	0.0	57.95	50.0	10.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
KS	Agra	72.95	0.0	72.95	50.0	50.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
KS	Agra	87.95	0.0	87.95	100.0	10.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
KS	Agra	107.95	0.0	107.95	100.0	100.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
KS	Agra	199.95	0.0	199.95	1000.0	10.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
KS	Agra	239.95	0.0	239.95	1000.0	1000.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
KS	Alton	29.95	0.0	29.95	10.0	3.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
KS	Alton	39.95	0.0	39.95	10.0	10.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
KS	Alton	42.95	0.0	42.95	20.0	6.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
KS	Alton	52.95	0.0	52.95	20.0	20.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
KS	Alton	57.95	0.0	57.95	50.0	10.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
KS	Alton	72.95	0.0	72.95	50.0	50.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
KS	Alton	87.95	0.0	87.95	100.0	10.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
KS	Alton	107.95	0.0	107.95	100.0	100.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
KS	Alton	199.95	0.0	199.95	1000.0	10.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
KS	Alton	239.95	0.0	239.95	1000.0	1000.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
KS	Athol	29.95	0.0	29.95	10.0	3.0	999999.0	Other, No Action

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	KS	Athol	39.95	0.0	39.95	10.0	10.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
-	KS	Athol	42.95	0.0	42.95	20.0	6.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
	KS	Athol	52.95	0.0	52.95	20.0	20.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
	KS	Athol	57.95	0.0	57.95	50.0	10.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
Ī	KS	Athol	72.95	0.0	72.95	50.0	50.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
	KS	Athol	87.95	0.0	87.95	100.0	10.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
	KS	Athol	107.95	0.0	107.95	100.0	100.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
	KS	Athol	199.95	0.0	199.95	1000.0	10.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
Ī	KS	Athol	239.95	0.0	239.95	1000.0	1000.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
	KS	Bogue	29.95	0.0	29.95	10.0	3.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
	KS	Bogue	39.95	0.0	39.95	10.0	10.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
-	KS	Bogue	42.95	0.0	42.95	20.0	6.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
-	KS	Bogue	52.95	0.0	52.95	20.0	20.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
	KS	Bogue	57.95	0.0	57.95	50.0	10.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
Ī	KS	Bogue	72.95	0.0	72.95	50.0	50.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
-	KS	Bogue	87.95	0.0	87.95	100.0	10.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
	KS	Bogue	107.95	0.0	107.95	100.0	100.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
	KS	Bogue	199.95	0.0	199.95	1000.0	10.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
-	KS	Bogue	239.95	0.0	239.95	1000.0	1000.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
	KS	Burr Oak	29.95	0.0	29.95	10.0	3.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
Ī	KS	Burr Oak	39.95	0.0	39.95	10.0	10.0	999999.0	Other, No Action

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Sta	ete Exchange (ILEC)	Residential Rate	State Regulated Fees	Total Rates and Fees		Broadband Service -Upload Speed (Mbps)	Usage Allowance (GB)	Usage Allowance Action Taken When Limit Reached {select}
KS	Burr Oak	42.95	0.0	42.95	20.0	6.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
KS	Burr Oak	52.95	0.0	52.95	20.0	20.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
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KS	Burr Oak	107.95	0.0	107.95	100.0	100.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
KS	Burr Oak	199.95	0.0	199.95	1000.0	10.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
KS	Burr Oak	239.95	0.0	239.95	1000.0	1000.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
KS	Collyer	29.95	0.0	29.95	10.0	3.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
KS	Collyer	39.95	0.0	39.95	10.0	10.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
KS	Collyer	42.95	0.0	42.95	20.0	6.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
KS	Collyer	52.95	0.0	52.95	20.0	20.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
KS	Collyer	57.95	0.0	57.95	50.0	10.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
KS	Collyer	72.95	0.0	72.95	50.0	50.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
KS	Collyer	87.95	0.0	87.95	100.0	10.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
KS	Collyer	107.95	0.0	107.95	100.0	100.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
KS	Collyer	199.95	0.0	199.95	1000.0	10.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
KS	Collyer	239.95	0.0	239.95	1000.0	1000.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
KS	Courtland	29.95	0.0	29.95	10.0	3.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
KS	Courtland	39.95	0.0	39.95	10.0	10.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
KS	Courtland	42.95	0.0	42.95	20.0	3.0	999999.0	Other, No Action

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	KS	Courtland	52.95	0.0	52.95	20.0	20.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
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	KS	Courtland	199.95	0.0	199.95	1000.0	10.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
	KS	Courtland	239.95	0.0	239.95	1000.0	1000.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
	KS	Damar	29.95	0.0	29.95	10.0	3.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
	KS	Damar	39.95	0.0	39.95	10.0	10.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
	KS	Damar	42.95	0.0	42.95	20.0	6.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
	KS	Damar	52.95	0.0	52.95	20.0	20.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
	KS	Damar	57.95	0.0	57.95	50.0	10.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
	KS	Damar	72.95	0.0	72.95	50.0	50.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
Ī	KS	Damar	87.95	0.0	87.95	100.0	10.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
	KS	Damar	107.95	0.0	107.95	100.0	100.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
	KS	Damar	199.95	0.0	199.95	1000.0	10.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
	KS	Damar	239.95	0.0	239.95	1000.0	1000.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
Ī	KS	Downs	29.95	0.0	29.95	10.0	3.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
Ī	KS	Downs	39.95	0.0	39.95	10.0	10.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
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F	cs	Downs	57.95	0.0	57.95	50.0	10.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
F	cs	Downs	72.95	0.0	72.95	50.0	50.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
F	cs	Downs	87.95	0.0	87.95	100.0	10.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
F	cs	Downs	107.95	0.0	107.95	100.0	100.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
F	cs	Downs	199.95	0.0	199.95	1000.0	10.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
F	cs	Downs	239.95	0.0	239.95	1000.0	1000.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
F	cs	Edmond	29.95	0.0	29.95	10.0	3.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
F	cs	Edmond	39.95	0.0	39.95	10.0	10.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
F	cs	Edmond	42.95	0.0	42.95	20.0	6.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
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F	cs	Edmond	57.95	0.0	57.95	50.0	10.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
F	(S	Edmond	72.95	0.0	72.95	50.0	50.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
F	cs	Edmond	87.95	0.0	87.95	100.0	10.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
F	cs	Edmond	107.95	0.0	107.95	100.0	100.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
F	cs	Edmond	199.95	0.0	199.95	1000.0	10.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
F	cs	Edmond	239.95	0.0	239.95	1000.0	1000.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
F	cs	Esbon	29.95	0.0	29.95	10.0	3.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
F	cs	Esbon	39.95	0.0	39.95	10.0	10.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
F	(S	Esbon	42.95	0.0	42.95	20.0	3.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
F	(S	Esbon	52.95	0.0	52.95	20.0	20.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
F	cs	Esbon	57.95	0.0	57.95	50.0	10.0	999999.0	Other, No Action

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=	KS	Esbon	107.95	0.0	107.95	100.0	100.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
Ī	KS	Esbon	199.95	0.0	199.95	1000.0	10.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
Ī	KS	Esbon	239.95	0.0	239.95	1000.0	1000.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
	KS	Gaylord	29.95	0.0	29.95	10.0	3.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
	KS	Gaylord	39.95	0.0	39.95	10.0	10.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
Ī	KS	Gaylord	42.95	0.0	42.95	20.0	6.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
-	KS	Gaylord	52.95	0.0	52.95	20.0	20.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
Ī	KS	Gaylord	57.95	0.0	57.95	50.0	10.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
-	KS	Gaylord	72.95	0.0	72.95	50.0	50.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
	KS	Gaylord	87.95	0.0	87.95	100.0	10.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
	KS	Gaylord	107.95	0.0	107.95	100.0	100.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
	KS	Gaylord	199.95	0.0	199.95	1000.0	10.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
Ī	KS	Gaylord	239.95	0.0	239.95	1000.0	1000.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
Ī	KS	Gove	29.95	0.0	29.95	10.0	3.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
Ī	KS	Gove	39.95	0.0	39.95	10.0	10.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
	KS	Gove	42.95	0.0	42.95	20.0	6.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
	KS	Gove	52.95	0.0	52.95	20.0	20.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
Ī	KS	Gove	57.95	0.0	57.95	50.0	10.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
	KS	Gove	72.95	0.0	72.95	50.0	50.0	999999.0	Other, No Action

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KS	Gove	87.95	0.0	87.95	100.0	10.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
KS	Gove	107.95	0.0	107.95	100.0	100.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
KS	Gove	199.95	0.0	199.95	1000.0	10.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
KS	Gove	239.95	0.0	239.95	1000.0	1000.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
KS	Grainfield	29.95	0.0	29.95	10.0	3.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
KS	Grainfield	39.95	0.0	39.95	10.0	10.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
KS	Grainfield	42.95	0.0	42.95	20.0	6.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
KS	Grainfield	52.95	0.0	52.95	20.0	20.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
KS	Grainfield	57.95	0.0	57.95	50.0	10.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
KS	Grainfield	72.95	0.0	72.95	50.0	50.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
KS	Grainfield	87.95	0.0	87.95	100.0	10.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
KS	Grainfield	107.95	0.0	107.95	100.0	100.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
KS	Grainfield	199.95	0.0	199.95	1000.0	10.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
KS	Grainfield	239.95	0.0	239.95	1000.0	1000.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
KS	Hill City	29.95	0.0	29.95	10.0	3.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
KS	Hill City	39.95	0.0	39.95	10.0	10.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
KS	Hill City	42.95	0.0	42.95	20.0	6.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
KS	Hill City	52.95	0.0	52.95	20.0	20.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
KS	Hill City	57.95	0.0	57.95	50.0	10.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
KS	Hill City	72.95	0.0	72.95	50.0	50.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
KS	Hill City	87.95	0.0	87.95	100.0	10.0	999999.0	Other, No Action

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KS	Hill City	107.95	0.0	107.95	100.0	100.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
KS	Hill City	199.95	0.0	199.95	1000.0	10.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
KS	Hill City	239.95	0.0	239.95	1000.0	1000.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
KS	Ionia	29.95	0.0	29.95	10.0	3.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
KS	Ionia	39.95	0.0	39.95	10.0	10.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
KS	Ionia	42.95	0.0	42.95	20.0	3.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
KS	Ionia	52.95	0.0	52.95	20.0	20.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
KS	Ionia	57.95	0.0	57.95	50.0	10.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
KS	Ionia	72.95	0.0	72.95	50.0	50.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
KS	Ionia	87.95	0.0	87.95	100.0	10.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
KS	Ionia	107.95	0.0	107.95	100.0	100.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
KS	Ionia	199.95	0.0	199.95	1000.0	10.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
KS	Ionia	239.95	0.0	239.95	1000.0	1000.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
KS	Kensington	29.95	0.0	29.95	10.0	3.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
KS	Kensington	39.95	0.0	39.95	10.0	10.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
KS	Kensington	42.95	0.0	42.95	20.0	6.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
KS	Kensington	52.95	0.0	52.95	20.0	20.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
KS	Kensington	57.95	0.0	57.95	50.0	10.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
KS	Kensington	72.95	0.0	72.95	50.0	50.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
KS	Kensington	87.95	0.0	87.95	100.0	10.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
KS	Kensington	107.95	0.0	107.95	100.0	100.0	999999.0	Other, No Action

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F	KS	Kensington	199.95	0.0	199.95	1000.0	10.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
F	KS	Kensington	239.95	0.0	239.95	1000.0	1000.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
F	KS.	Lebanon	29.95	0.0	29.95	10.0	3.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
F	KS	Lebanon	39.95	0.0	39.95	10.0	10.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
F	KS.	Lebanon	42.95	0.0	42.95	20.0	3.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
P	KS	Lebanon	52.95	0.0	52.95	20.0	20.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
P	KS	Lebanon	57.95	0.0	57.95	50.0	10.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
F	S	Lebanon	72.95	0.0	72.95	50.0	50.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
F	KS	Lebanon	87.95	0.0	87.95	100.0	10.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
F	KS	Lebanon	107.95	0.0	107.95	100.0	100.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
F	KS	Lebanon	199.95	0.0	199.95	1000.0	10.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
F	KS	Lebanon	239.95	0.0	239.95	1000.0	1000.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
P	KS	Lenora	29.95	0.0	29.95	10.0	3.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
P	KS	Lenora	39.95	0.0	39.95	10.0	10.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
F	KS	Lenora	42.95	0.0	42.95	20.0	6.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
P	KS	Lenora	52.95	0.0	52.95	20.0	20.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
P	KS	Lenora	57.95	0.0	57.95	50.0	10.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
F	KS .	Lenora	72.95	0.0	72.95	50.0	50.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
F	KS	Lenora	87.95	0.0	87.95	100.0	10.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
F	KS.	Lenora	107.95	0.0	107.95	100.0	100.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
F	KS	Lenora	199.95	0.0	199.95	1000.0	10.0	999999.0	Other, No Action

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	KS	Lenora	239.95	0.0	239.95	1000.0	1000.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
•	KS	Logan	29.95	0.0	29.95	10.0	3.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
	KS	Logan	39.95	0.0	39.95	10.0	10.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
	KS	Logan	42.95	0.0	42.95	20.0	6.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
	KS	Logan	52.95	0.0	52.95	20.0	20.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
	KS	Logan	57.95	0.0	57.95	50.0	10.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
	KS	Logan	72.95	0.0	72.95	50.0	50.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
	KS	Logan	87.95	0.0	87.95	100.0	10.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
	KS	Logan	107.95	0.0	107.95	100.0	100.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
	KS	Logan	199.95	0.0	199.95	1000.0	10.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
	KS	Logan	239.95	0.0	239.95	1000.0	1000.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
	KS	Long Island	29.95	0.0	29.95	10.0	3.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
	KS	Long Island	39.95	0.0	39.95	10.0	10.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
	KS	Long Island	42.95	0.0	42.95	20.0	6.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
	KS	Long Island	52.95	0.0	52.95	20.0	20.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
	KS	Long Island	57.95	0.0	57.95	50.0	10.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
	KS	Long Island	72.95	0.0	72.95	50.0	50.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
	KS	Long Island	87.95	0.0	87.95	100.0	10.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
	KS	Long Island	107.95	0.0	107.95	100.0	100.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
	KS	Long Island	199.95	0.0	199.95	1000.0	10.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
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	KS	Morland	29.95	0.0	29.95	10.0	3.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
	KS	Morland	39.95	0.0	39.95	10.0	10.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
	KS	Morland	42.95	0.0	42.95	20.0	6.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
	KS	Morland	52.95	0.0	52.95	20.0	20.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
	KS	Morland	57.95	0.0	57.95	50.0	10.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
	KS	Morland	72.95	0.0	72.95	50.0	50.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
	KS	Morland	87.95	0.0	87.95	100.0	10.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
	KS	Morland	107.95	0.0	107.95	100.0	100.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
	KS	Morland	199.95	0.0	199.95	1000.0	10.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
	KS	Morland	239.95	0.0	239.95	1000.0	1000.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
ĺ	KS	Natoma	29.95	0.0	29.95	10.0	3.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
	KS	Natoma	39.95	0.0	39.95	10.0	10.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
	KS	Natoma	42.95	0.0	42.95	20.0	6.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
	KS	Natoma	52.95	0.0	52.95	20.0	20.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
	KS	Natoma	57.95	0.0	57.95	50.0	10.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
	KS	Natoma	72.95	0.0	72.95	50.0	50.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
	KS	Natoma	87.95	0.0	87.95	100.0	10.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
	KS	Natoma	107.95	0.0	107.95	100.0	100.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
	KS	Natoma	199.95	0.0	199.95	1000.0	10.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
	KS	Natoma	239.95	0.0	239.95	1000.0	1000.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
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	KS	Osborne	39.95	0.0	39.95	10.0	10.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
	KS	Osborne	42.95	0.0	42.95	20.0	6.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
	KS	Osborne	52.95	0.0	52.95	20.0	20.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
	KS	Osborne	57.95	0.0	57.95	50.0	10.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
	KS	Osborne	72.95	0.0	72.95	50.0	50.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
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	KS	Osborne	107.95	0.0	107.95	100.0	100.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
	KS	Osborne	199.95	0.0	199.95	1000.0	10.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
	KS	Osborne	239.95	0.0	239.95	1000.0	1000.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
	KS	Osborne	29.95	0.0	29.95	10.0	3.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
	KS	Osborne	39.95	0.0	39.95	10.0	10.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
	KS	Osborne	42.95	0.0	42.95	20.0	6.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
	KS	Osborne	52.95	0.0	52.95	20.0	20.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
	KS	Osborne	57.95	0.0	57.95	50.0	10.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
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	KS	Osborne	87.95	0.0	87.95	100.0	10.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
	KS	Osborne	107.95	0.0	107.95	100.0	100.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
	KS	Osborne	199.95	0.0	199.95	1000.0	10.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
	KS	Osborne	239.95	0.0	239.95	1000.0	1000.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
	KS	Palco	29.95	0.0	29.95	10.0	3.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
Ī	KS	Palco	39.95	0.0	39.95	10.0	10.0	999999.0	Other, No Action

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State	Exchange (ILEC)	Residential Rate	State Regulated Fees	Total Rates and Fees	Broadband Service - Download Speed (Mbps)	Broadband Service -Upload Speed (Mbps)	Usage Allowance (GB)	Usage Allowance Action Taken When Limit Reached {select}
KS	Palco	42.95	0.0	42.95	20.0	6.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
KS	Palco	52.95	0.0	52.95	20.0	20.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
KS	Palco	57.95	0.0	57.95	50.0	10.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
KS	Palco	72.95	0.0	72.95	50.0	50.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
KS	Palco	87.95	0.0	87.95	100.0	10.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
KS	Palco	107.95	0.0	107.95	100.0	100.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
KS	Palco	199.95	0.0	199.95	1000.0	10.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
KS	Palco	239.95	0.0	239.95	1000.0	1000.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
KS	Prairie View	29.95	0.0	29.95	10.0	3.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
KS	Prairie View	39.95	0.0	39.95	10.0	10.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
KS	Prairie View	42.95	0.0	42.95	20.0	6.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
KS	Prairie View	52.95	0.0	52.95	20.0	20.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
KS	Prairie View	57.95	0.0	57.95	50.0	10.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
KS	Prairie View	72.95	0.0	72.95	50.0	50.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
KS	Prairie View	87.95	0.0	87.95	100.0	10.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
KS	Prairie View	107.95	0.0	107.95	100.0	100.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
KS	Prairie View	199.95	0.0	199.95	1000.0	10.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
KS	Prairie View	239.95	0.0	239.95	1000.0	1000.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
KS	Quinter	29.95	0.0	29.95	10.0	3.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
KS	Quinter	39.95	0.0	39.95	10.0	10.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
KS	Quinter	42.95	0.0	42.95	20.0	6.0	999999.0	Other, No Action

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KS		Quinter	52.95	0.0	52.95	20.0	20.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
KS		Quinter	57.95	0.0	57.95	50.0	10.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
KS		Quinter	72.95	0.0	72.95	50.0	50.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
KS		Quinter	87.95	0.0	87.95	100.0	10.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
KS		Quinter	107.95	0.0	107.95	100.0	100.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
KS		Quinter	199.95	0.0	199.95	1000.0	10.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
KS		Quinter	239.95	0.0	239.95	1000.0	1000.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
KS		Republic	29.95	0.0	29.95	10.0	3.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
KS		Republic	39.95	0.0	39.95	10.0	10.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
KS		Republic	42.95	0.0	42.95	20.0	3.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
KS		Republic	52.95	0.0	52.95	20.0	20.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
KS		Republic	57.95	0.0	57.95	50.0	10.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
KS		Republic	72.95	0.0	72.95	50.0	50.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
KS		Republic	87.95	0.0	87.95	100.0	10.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
KS		Republic	107.95	0.0	107.95	100.0	100.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
KS		Republic	199.95	0.0	199.95	1000.0	10.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
KS		Republic	239.95	0.0	239.95	1000.0	1000.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
KS		Rexford	29.95	0.0	29.95	10.0	3.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
KS		Rexford	39.95	0.0	39.95	10.0	10.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
KS		Rexford	42.95	0.0	42.95	20.0	6.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
KS		Rexford	52.95	0.0	52.95	20.0	20.0	999999.0	Other, No Action

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F	cs	Rexford	57.95	0.0	57.95	50.0	10.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
F	cs	Rexford	72.95	0.0	72.95	50.0	50.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
F	cs	Rexford	87.95	0.0	87.95	100.0	10.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
F	cs	Rexford	107.95	0.0	107.95	100.0	100.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
F	cs	Rexford	199.95	0.0	199.95	1000.0	10.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
F	cs	Rexford	239.95	0.0	239.95	1000.0	1000.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
F	cs	Russell	29.95	0.0	29.95	10.0	3.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
F	cs	Russell	39.95	0.0	39.95	10.0	10.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
F	cs	Russell	42.95	0.0	42.95	20.0	3.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
F	cs	Russell	52.95	0.0	52.95	20.0	20.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
F	cs	Russell	57.95	0.0	57.95	50.0	10.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
F	cs	Russell	72.95	0.0	72.95	50.0	50.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
F	cs	Russell	87.95	0.0	87.95	100.0	10.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
F	cs	Russell	107.95	0.0	107.95	100.0	100.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
F	cs	Russell	199.95	0.0	199.95	1000.0	10.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
F	cs	Russell	239.95	0.0	239.95	1000.0	1000.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
F	cs	Selden	29.95	0.0	29.95	10.0	3.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
F	cs	Selden	39.95	0.0	39.95	10.0	10.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
F	(S	Selden	42.95	0.0	42.95	20.0	6.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
F	(S	Selden	52.95	0.0	52.95	20.0	20.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
F	cs	Selden	57.95	0.0	57.95	50.0	10.0	999999.0	Other, No Action

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K	īS.	Selden	72.95	0.0	72.95	50.0	50.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
K	S	Selden	87.95	0.0	87.95	100.0	10.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
K	S	Selden	107.95	0.0	107.95	100.0	100.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
K	.s	Selden	199.95	0.0	199.95	1000.0	10.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
K	S	Selden	239.95	0.0	239.95	1000.0	1000.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
K	S	Victoria	29.95	0.0	29.95	10.0	3.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
K	S	Victoria	39.95	0.0	39.95	10.0	10.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
K	S	Victoria	42.95	0.0	42.95	20.0	6.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
K	S	Victoria	52.95	0.0	52.95	20.0	20.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
K	.s	Victoria	57.95	0.0	57.95	50.0	10.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
K	IS.	Victoria	72.95	0.0	72.95	50.0	50.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
K	IS.	Victoria	87.95	0.0	87.95	100.0	10.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
K	S	Victoria	107.95	0.0	107.95	100.0	100.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
K	S	Victoria	199.95	0.0	199.95	1000.0	10.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
K	IS.	Victoria	239.95	0.0	239.95	1000.0	1000.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
К	IS	WaKeeney	29.95	0.0	29.95	10.0	3.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
K	IS.	WaKeeney	39.95	0.0	39.95	10.0	10.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
K	.s	WaKeeney	42.95	0.0	42.95	20.0	6.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
K	.s	WaKeeney	52.95	0.0	52.95	20.0	20.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
K	IS.	WaKeeney	57.95	0.0	57.95	50.0	10.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
K	S	WaKeeney	72.95	0.0	72.95	50.0	50.0	999999.0	Other, No Action

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	KS	WaKeeney	87.95	0.0	87.95	100.0	10.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
•	KS	WaKeeney	107.95	0.0	107.95	100.0	100.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
	KS	WaKeeney	199.95	0.0	199.95	1000.0	10.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
	KS	WaKeeney	239.95	0.0	239.95	1000.0	1000.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
	KS	Webber	29.95	0.0	29.95	10.0	3.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
İ	KS	Webber	39.95	0.0	39.95	10.0	10.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
	KS	Webber	42.95	0.0	42.95	20.0	3.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
	KS	Webber	52.95	0.0	52.95	20.0	20.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
	KS	Webber	57.95	0.0	57.95	50.0	10.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
	KS	Webber	72.95	0.0	72.95	50.0	50.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
	KS	Webber	87.95	0.0	87.95	100.0	10.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
	KS	Webber	107.95	0.0	107.95	100.0	100.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
	KS	Webber	199.95	0.0	199.95	1000.0	10.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
	KS	Webber	239.95	0.0	239.95	1000.0	1000.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
	KS	Woodston	29.95	0.0	29.95	10.0	3.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
	KS	Woodston	39.95	0.0	39.95	10.0	10.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
	KS	Woodston	42.95	0.0	42.95	20.0	6.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
	KS	Woodston	52.95	0.0	52.95	20.0	20.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
j	KS	Woodston	57.95	0.0	57.95	50.0	10.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
	KS	Woodston	72.95	0.0	72.95	50.0	50.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
İ	KS	Woodston	87.95	0.0	87.95	100.0	10.0	999999.0	Other, No Action

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	KS	Woodston	107.95	0.0	107.95	100.0	100.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
	KS	Woodston	199.95	0.0	199.95	1000.0	10.0	999999.0	Other, No Action
	KS	Woodston	239.95	0.0	239.95	1000.0	1000.0	999999.0	Other, No Action

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#### 411826KS330

#### Rural Telephone Service Co., Inc. dba Nex-Tech (Study Area 411826)

Statement Regarding Unfulfilled Service Requests for Broadband Detail on Attempts 47 CFR § 54.313(a)(3) Form 481, Line 330

Rural Telephone Service Co., Inc. dba Nex-Tech (Nex-Tech) had a total of 3 unfulfilled service requests for broadband in 2016. The number of unfulfilled service requests per Service Area is: WaKeeney, 1, Zurich, 1 and Olmitz, 1.

For these unfulfilled service requests for broadband, Nex-Tech provides a copper loop for voice. The distance from the central office equipment to the customer premises makes it financially unreasonable to provide or build service to them to provide broadband.

#### 411826KS510

#### Rural Telephone Service Co., Inc. dba Nex-Tech (Study Area 411826)

Statement Regarding Compliance with Service Quality Standards and Consumer Protection Rules 47 CFR § 54.313(a)(5)

Form 481, Line 510

Rural Telephone Service Co., Inc. dba Nex-Tech (Nex-Tech) is an incumbent local exchange carrier operating in the state of Kansas, and is an eligible telecommunications carrier (ETC) designated by the Kansas Corporation Commission (KCC). As such, Nex-Tech is subject to the regulatory authority of the KCC and operates under the relevant rules and laws of the state of Kansas.

Nex-Tech is subject to the service quality standards and consumer protection standards adopted by the KCC and that are applicable to LECs in the state of Kansas. These standards are contained in Orders adopted by the KCC in Docket No. 95-GIMT-047-GIT (specifically the KCC Order dated May 23, 2008) and Docket No. 06-GIMT-187-GIT. The consumer protection standards are also contained in Nex-Tech's local tariff that is on file with the KCC.

Apart from effective internal procedures and operations, Nex-Tech ensures compliance with all applicable service quality and consumer protection rules through KCC enforcement, which entails the operation of an effective customer complaint process. Nex-Tech is required to respond to customer complaints and other service quality-related inquiries from the KCC in a reasonable time frame. Nex-Tech consistently meets or exceeds all KCC-adopted standards, and reports to this effect via all required KCC processes.

Nex-Tech also has established internal procedures to ensure compliance with the Federal Communications Commission's Customer Proprietary Network Information (CPNI) rules that include, but are not limited to, periodic employee training and maintenance of written company CPNI procedures. Nex-Tech certifies its compliance with the Commission's CPNI rules by making annual filings as required in 47 CFR § 64.2009(e).

Nex-Tech provides broadband Internet access service and has publicly disclosed accurate information regarding the network management practices, performance, and commercial terms of its broadband Internet access services sufficient for consumers to make informed choices regarding use of such services and for content, application, service, and device providers to develop, market, and maintain Internet offerings.

### Rural Telephone Service Co., Inc. dba Nex-Tech (Study Area 411826)

Statement Regarding Functionality in Emergency Situations 47 CFR § 54.313(a) (6) Form 481, Line 610

Rural Telephone Service Company, Inc. dba Nex-Tech (Nex-Tech) has developed an extensive and detailed emergency management plan.

Nex-Tech's traditional voice service switching platform is fully redundant and is geographically separated. Redundant switches are connected using an IP network that is redundant and diversity routed. The platform is fed by a DC power plant with 8 hour operating battery backup. The core backbone network consists of six interconnected rings which provide 100% fiber route diversity between central offices. The transport is redundant at card and optical level.

Nex-Tech has developed a "Disaster Trailer" which is essentially a portable central office. The "Disaster Trailer" is capable of fiber and copper connection and has relay racks to accommodate additional equipment. This allows Nex-Tech to provide emergency switching. Nex-Tech also has 74 generators available at various locations to provided power to the network during any extended outages.

Nex-Tech has an onsite command center mobile office which would allow management and plant personnel the ability to set up a mobile office if a disaster occurs.

Nex-Tech has instituted a 24 hour Network Operations Center (NOC) which monitors the network and is able to reroute traffic and manage traffic spikes during a disaster or other emergency situation.

Broadband services also has a redundant DC battery power supply at the router locations and all are backed up with generated power at each location in case of power outage. Separate and different transport connections are available to insure internet transport from the router to the internet backbone.

#### Rural Telephone Service Co., Inc. dba Nex-Tech (Study Area 411826)

Statement Regarding Voice Services Rate Comparability 47 CFR § 54.313(a) (10) Form 481, Line 1010

Rural Telephone Service Company, Inc. dba Nex-Tech (Nex-Tech) is an Independent Local Exchange Carrier and as such is required to offer local exchange residential end user rates that are comparable to urban rates. The FCC calculated that the comparable benchmark, which is two standard deviations above the average local end-user rate, for service is \$49.51 and that rural Independent Local Exchange Carriers not exceed urban rates.

Nex-Tech's local exchange residential end user rates, including the Federal End User Charge, range from \$27.11 to \$27.86 and no exchange exceeds the benchmark rate of \$49.51.

### Rural Telephone Service Co., Inc. dba Nex-Tech (Study Area 411826)

Statement Regarding Broadband Reasonable Benchmark Services Rate Comparability 47 CFR § 54.313(a) (10) Form 481, Line 1020

Rural Telephone Service Company, Inc. dba Nex-Tech (Nex-Tech) is a rate of return Local Exchange Carrier and as such is required to offer broadband service at rates that are at or below the relevant reasonable comparability benchmark broadband rates. The FCC calculated the comparable benchmark, which is two standard deviations above the mean rates.

Nex-Tech does not restrict usage and as such has unlimited allowance for all broadband offerings. Nex-Tech's rates compared to the benchmark rates are:

Download	Upload	Usage	Benchmark	Nex-
Speed	Speed	Allowance	Delicilliark	Tech's
(MBPS)	(MBPS)	(GB)	Rates	Rates
10	3	Unlimited	\$78.49	29.95
10	10	Unlimited	\$79.05	39.95
20	3	Unlimited	\$87.60	\$42.95
20	20	Unlimited	\$88.48	\$52.95
50	10	Unlimited	\$100.20	\$57.95
50	50	Unlimited	\$100.95	\$87.95

All broadband service rates are below the benchmark rates.

### 411826KS1210

# What is Lifeline?

Every person in America should have access to quality, affordable telecommunications service.

This principle of "Universal Service" has been the goal of the telecommunications industry for decades. In 1934, the federal government codified the goal and reaffirmed it in 1996 by establishing policies for the "preservation and advancement of Universal Service."

To achieve the Universal Service goal, carriers have access to a fund that is generated by contributions from the telecommunications providers in the United States. Telecommunications companies draw from the fund to provide four programs that support telecommunications services nationwide.

Toll Limitation Service is another program available to low income subscribers to help them control what they spend on phone service.

Lifeline and Toll Limitation Service support provide discounts to eligible low-income consumers to help them establish and maintain phone and Internet service.



# To apply for Lifeline, contact your local Nex-Tech store.



# **COURTLAND**

312 Main St Local: 785-374-4441

#### **DODGE CITY**

100 Military Ave, Ste 127 770 4th St Local: 620-225-5054 Toll Free: 877-304-7872

#### **DOWNS**

901 Morgan Ave Local: 785-454-6025 Toll Free: 866-454-7872

#### **GREAT BEND**

3700 10th St Local: 620-792-3908 Toll Free: 866-792-7872

#### **HAYS**

2418 Vine St Local: 785-625-7070 Toll Free: 877-625-7872

#### **HILL CITY**

118 W Main St Local: 785-421-2916 Toll Free: 877-421-7872

#### HOXIE

825 Main Local: 785-675-2400 Toll Free: 888-675-7872

#### **LENORA**

145 N Main St Local: 785-567-4281 Toll Free: 877-567-7872

#### **NORTON**

117 N Norton Ave Local: 785-877-4135 Toll Free: 877-550-7872 Toll Free: 877-743-7872

#### **OSBORNE**

221 W Main St Local: 785-346-2199 Toll Free: 877-569-1802 Toll Free: 877-643-7872

#### **PHILLIPSBURG**

Local: 785-543-6694 Toll Free: 866-543-6694

#### **PLAINVILLE**

112 S Main St Local: 785-434-4946 Toll Free: 866-551-7872

#### QUINTER

204 E 4th St

Local: 785-754-2108 Toll Free: 877-750-7872

#### RUSSELL

238 E Wichita Local: 785-483-5555 Toll Free: 866-383-6773

#### **SALINA**

104 N Sante Fe, Ste B Local: 785-823-2498 Toll Free: 877-825-7872

#### **SMITH CENTER**

705 North F St Local: 785-282-3535 Toll Free: 866-419-6439

#### STOCKTON

523 Main St Local: 785-425-6750 Toll Free: 877-425-6750

#### WAKEENEY

137 N Main St Local: 785-743-2747



# How Do I Know Whether I Am Eligible?

An individual is eligible if he or she participates in one of the following programs:

- 1. Supplemental Security Income (SSI)
- 2. Medicaid
- 3. Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP)
- 4. Federal Public Housing Assistance (FPHA)
- 5. Veteran's Pension Benefit

The participant is required to provide documentation of participation in one of the above programs to the provider, and to complete the Lifeline Certification Form.

Also, a consumer may be eligible if his or her household income is at or below 135% of the federal poverty level. A consumer must provide THREE CONSECUTIVE MONTHS of bank income statements as documentation of income (statements should include all adult household members), or provide a copy of their household's tax return for the previous year.

# What Type of Discount Is Available?

Lifeline assistance lowers the cost of basic monthly local phone service or Internet service. Eligible consumers can receive monthly discounts of up to \$17.02 on phone service and up to \$9.25 on Internet service. Please visit a Nex-Tech store to see what discounts are available in your area.

Internet services need to be 10 Mbps down and 1 Mbps up to be eligible for support.

Toll Limitation Service (TLS) support allows eligible consumers who wish to avoid incurring large long distance fees to choose toll blocking or toll control at no cost.





# Self-Certifcation Form for Income Eligibility

The Lifeline Service Program includes income-based eligibility criteria. These criteria are based on the poverty guidelines updated periodically in the Federal Register by the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services (HHS) under authority of 42 U.S.C. §9902(2). Customers eligible under the Lifeline criteria are required to self-certify such eligibility.

Income-Based Eligibility				
<b>Family</b> Members	<b>Maximum</b> Annual Income			
1	\$16,281			
2	\$21,924			
3	\$27,567			
4	\$33,210			
5	\$38,853			
6	\$44,496			
7	\$50,139			
8	\$55,782			
For each addition	al person, add \$5,643			

# How Do I Apply to Receive Lifeline and TLS Support Discounts?

Contact a Nex-Tech store. The Universal Service Administrative Company's (USAC) website contains state specific Lifeline contact information for many companies at www.lifelinesupport.org. You also may call USAC toll free at 1-888-641-8722 with any questions about Lifeline and TLS discounts.

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Line 1222 Details on the number of minutes provided as part of the plan.

Nex-Tech provides its lifeline customers a flat rate local service. There is no measured local service provided, so the number of minutes provided is not necessary.

Line 1223 Additional charges for toll calls, and rates for each plan.

Nex-Tech provides access to toll service providers for its lifeline customers. The lifeline customers has to choose its own toll service provider, so no additional charges are noted or required by Nex-Tech.

### Rural Telephone Service Co., Inc. dba Nex-Tech

## Progress Report of 5 Year Plan — Milestone Certification

To be in compliance with the Milestone Certification of providing upon a reasonable request broadband service at actual speeds of 10 Mbps downstream/1 Mbps upstream:

- Rural Telephone Service Co., Inc. dba Nex-Tech certifies that it has taken reasonable steps to provide upon a reasonable request broadband service at actual speeds of 10 Mbps downstream/1 Mbps upstream with latency suitable for real-time applications, including Voice over Internet Protocol.
- The Company provides usage capacity that is reasonably comparable to comparable offerings in urban areas.
- The Company certifies that requests for such service are met within a reasonable amount of time.

#### **Template for Reporting Community Anchor Institutions**

Number	Name		Address
1	USD 316 GOLDEN PLAINS	210 W SIXTH ST SELDEN, KS 67757	
2	GOVE COUNTY HEALTH DEPT	521 GARFIELD ST QUINTER, KS 67752	
3	CITY OF OSBORNE SHOP	133 E MAIN ST OSBORNE, KS 67473	
4	TREGO CO LEMKE	320 N 13TH ST WAKEENEY, KS 67672	
5	RUSSELL REGIONAL HOSPITAL	200 S MAIN ST RUSSELL, KS 67665	
6	NORTON COUNTY HOSPITAL	214 W MAIN ST LOGAN, KS 67646	
7	CITY OF HILL CITY	2806 US HIGHWAY 283 HILL CITY, KS 67642	
8	RUSSELL COUNTY FOOD PANTRY	15 N FRONT ST RUSSELL, KS 67665	
9	PHILLIPS COUNTY RURAL FIRE DISTRICT # 2	349 WASHINGTON AVE LONG ISLAND, KS 67647	
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According to the Paperwork Reduction 2ct of 1999, an agency may not conduct or sponsor, and a person is not required to respond to, a collection of information unless it displays a valid OMB control number. The variety of the Collection is 0572-0031. The time required to complete this information collection is estimated to average 4 hours per response, including the time for reviewing instructions, searching existing data squares and propriation of information of information in the collection of information of information.

searching existing data sources, gathering and maintaining the	he data needed, and cor	npleting and reviewing	the collection of information.				
USDA-RUS	;		This data will be used by RUS to review your financial situation. Your response is required by 7 U.S.C. 901 et seq.				
		and, subject to federal laws and regulations regarding confidential information, will be treated as confidential.					
		BORROWER NAME					
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			(Prepared with Audited Data)				
INSTRUCTIONS-Submit report to RUS within 30 day	s after close of the po	eriod.	PERIOD ENDING B	BORROWER DESIGNATION	NC		
For detailed instructions, see RUS Bulletin 1744-2. R	eport in whole dollar	rs only.	December, 2016	KS0537			
			ERTIFICATION				
We hereby certify that the entries in this to the best of our knowledge and belief.	report are in accor	dance with the acc	counts and other records of the system and reflect the stati	us of the system			
v c	CFR PART 1788	, CHAPTER XVI	I, RUS, WAS IN FORCE DURING THE REPORTIN	G PERIOD AND			
RENEWALS HAVE BEEN OBTAINE	ED FOR ALL PO	LICIES.					
DURING THE PERIO	D COVERED BY		PURSUANT TO PART 1788 OF 7CFR CHAPTER X e of the following)	.VII			
X All of the obligations under the RUS loan doc have been fulfilled in all material respects.	uments		There has been a default in the fulfillment of the obliga under the RUS loan documents. Said default(s) is/are specifically described in the Telecom Operating Repor	)			
Jimmy Todd		4/21/2017					
	-	DATE	=				
		PART	A. BALANCE SHEET				
	BALANCE	BALANCE	A. DALANGE GILL!	BALANCE	BALANCE		
ASSETS	PRIOR YEAR	END OF PERIOD	LIABILITIES AND STOCKHOLDERS' EQUITY	PRIOR YEAR	END OF PERIOD		
CURRENT ASSETS	TRIOR TEAR	LINDOLLENIOD	CURRENT LIABILITIES	TRIOR TEAR			
Cash and Equivalents			25. Accounts Payable				
Cash-RUS Construction Fund			26. Notes Payable		-		
3. Affiliates:			27. Advance Billings and Payments	<del>- </del>	-		
a. Telecom, Accounts Receivable			28. Customer Deposits	<del>-  </del>	-		
b. Other Accounts Receivable			29. Current Mat. L/T Debt	<del>-  </del>	-		
c. Notes Receivable			30. Current Mat. L/T Debt-Rur. Dev.	<del></del>	-		
				<del>- </del>	-		
4. Non-Affiliates:			31. Current MatCapital Leases	-	-		
a. Telecom, Accounts Receivable			32. Income Taxes Accrued	<del> </del>	-		
b. Other Accounts Receivable			33. Other Taxes Accrued	<del> </del>	-		
c. Notes Receivable			34. Other Current Liabilities	<del> </del>	-		
5. Interest and Dividends Receivable			35. Total Current Liabilities (25 thru 34)				
6. Material-Regulated			LONG-TERM DEBT				
7. Material-Nonregulated			36. Funded Debt-RUS Notes	<del> </del>	-		
8. Prepayments			37. Funded Debt-RTB Notes	<del> </del>	-		
9. Other Current Assets			38. Funded Debt-FFB Notes	<del> </del>	-		
10. Total Current Assets (1 Thru 9)			39. Funded Debt-Other	<del> </del>	-		
NONCURRENT ASSETS			40. Funded Debt-Rural Develop. Loan	<del> </del>	-		
11. Investment in Affiliated Companies			41. Premium (Discount) on L/T Debt	<del> </del>	-		
a. Rural Development			42. Reacquired Debt	<del> </del>	-		
b. Nonrural Development			43. Obligations Under Capital Lease	$\rightarrow$	-		
12. Other Investments			44. Adv. From Affiliated Companies	<del> </del>	-		
a. Rural Development			45. Other Long-Term Debt	<del> </del>	-		
b. Nonrural Development			46. Total Long-Term Debt (36 thru 45)		-		
13. Nonregulated Investments			OTHER LIAB. & DEF. CREDITS		The state of the s		
14. Other Noncurrent Assets			47. Other Long-Term Liabilities		-		
15. Deferred Charges			48. Other Deferred Credits		-		
16. Jurisdictional Differences			49. Other Jurisdictional Differences		-		
17. Total Noncurrent Assets (11 thru 16)			50. Total Other Liabilities and Deferred Credits (47 thru 49)				
PLANT, PROPERTY, AND EQUIPMENT			EQUITY				
18. Telecom, Plant-in-Service			51. Cap. Stock Outstand. & Subscribed	<del> </del>	-		
19. Property Held for Future Use			52. Additional Paid-in-Capital	<del></del>	-		
20. Plant Under Construction			53. Treasury Stock	<del> </del>	-		
21. Plant Adj., Nonop. Plant & Goodwill			54. Membership and Cap. Certificates	<del> </del>	-		
22. Less Accumulated Depreciation			55. Other Capital	<del> </del>	-		
23. Net Plant (18 thru 21 less 22)			56. Patronage Capital Credits	<del> </del>	-		
24. TOTAL ASSETS (10+17+23)			57. Retained Earnings or Margins	<del></del>	-		
			58. Total Equity (51 thru 57)	<del></del>	4		
			59. TOTAL LIABILITIES AND EQUITY (35+46+50+58)	I			

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#### PART B. STATEMENTS OF INCOME AND RETAINED EARNINGS OR MARGINS

PART B. STATEMENTS OF INCOME AND RETAINED EAR		
ITEM	PRIOR YEAR	THIS YEAR
Local Network Services Revenues		
Network Access Services Revenues		L .
Long Distance Network Services Revenues		<u> </u>
Carrier Billing and Collection Revenues		
5. Miscellaneous Revenues		
6. Uncollectible Revenues		
7. Net Operating Revenues (1 thru 5 less 6)		
Plant Specific Operations Expense		
Plant Nonspecific Operations Expense (Excluding Depreciation & Amortization)		
10. Depreciation Expense		
11. Amortization Expense		
12. Customer Operations Expense		
13. Corporate Operations Expense		
14. Total Operating Expenses (8 thru 13)		[
15. Operating Income or Margins (7 less 14)		[
16. Other Operating Income and Expenses		[ 1
17. State and Local Taxes		[ 1
18. Federal Income Taxes		
19. Other Taxes		Ī i
20. Total Operating Taxes (17+18+19)		Ī
21. Net Operating Income or Margins (15+16-20)		Ţ
22. Interest on Funded Debt		Ţ
23. Interest Expense - Capital Leases		Ť i
24. Other Interest Expense		Ť i
25. Allowance for Funds Used During Construction		Ť i
26. Total Fixed Charges (22+23+24-25)		<u> </u>
27. Nonoperating Net Income		<u></u>
28. Extraordinary Items		Ī 1
29. Jurisdictional Differences		Ť i
30. Nonregulated Net Income		<u> </u>
31. Total Net Income or Margins (21+27+28+29+30-26)		†
32. Total Taxes Based on Income		†
33. Retained Earnings or Margins Beginning-of-Year		<u> </u>
34. Miscellaneous Credits Year-to-Date		† 1
35. Dividends Declared (Common)		†
36. Dividends Declared (Preferred)		†
37. Other Debits Year-to-Date		† 1
38. Transfers to Patronage Capital		† 1
39. Retained Earnings or Margins End-of-Period [(31+33+34) - (35+36+37+38)]		†
40. Patronage Capital Beginning-of-Year		1
41. Transfers to Patronage Capital		† 1
42. Patronage Capital Credits Retired		†
43. Patronage Capital End-of-Year (40+41-42)		† 1
44. Annual Debt Service Payments		† 1
45. Cash Ratio [(14+20-10-11) / 7]		† 1
46. Operating Accrual Ratio [(14+20+26) / 7]		† 1
47. TIER [(31+26) / 26]		†
48. DSCR [(31+26+10+11) / 44]		† †
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1. RATES			1. RATES 2. SUBSCRIBERS (ACCESS LINES)				3. ROUTE MILES		
EXCHANGE	B-1	R-1	BUSINESS	RESIDENTIAL	TOTAL	TOTAL	FIBER		
	(a)	(b)	(a)	(b)	(c)	(including fiber) (a)	(b)		
Agra	20.00	17.00	(/	(4)	(-)	(=/	(4)		
Alton	20.00	17.00							
Athol	20.00	17.00							
Burr Oak	28.75	17.80							
Collyer	20.00	17.00							
Courtland	28.75	17.80							
Damar	20.00	17.00							
Downs	28.75	17.80							
Edmond	20.00	17.00							
Esbon	28.75	17.80							
Galatia	20.00	17.00							
Gaylord	20.00	17.00							
Gove	20.00	17.00							
Grainfield	20.00	17.00							
Hill City	20.00	17.00							
onia	28.75	17.80							
Jennings	20.00	17.00							
Kensington	20.00	17.00							
_ebanon	28.75	17.80							
_enora	20.00	17.00							
Logan	20.00	17.00							
Long Island	20.00	17.00							
Morland	20.00	17.00							
Natoma	20.00	17.00							
Olmitz	20.00	17.00							
Osborne	26.00	17.00							
Palco	20.00	17.00							
Prairie View	20.00	17.00							
Quinter	20.00	17.00							
Republic	28.75	17.80							
Rexford	20.00	17.00							
Russell	28.75	17.80							
Selden	20.00	17.00							
/ictoria	20.00	17.00							
WaKeeney	20.00	17.00							
Webber	28.75	17.80							
Woodruff	20.00	17.00							
Voodston	20.00	17.00							
Zurich	20.00	17.00							
MobileWireless									
Route Mileage Outside Exchange Area									
Total									
No. Exchanges	39								

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			4.	BROADBAND SER	VICE			
				Detai	ls on Least Expen	sive Broadband S	ervice	
EXCHANGE	No. Access Lines with BB available (a)	No Of Broadband Subscribers (b)	Number Of Subscribers (c)	Advertised Download Rate (Kbps) (d)	Advertised Upload Rate (Kbps) (e)	Price Per Month  (f)	Standalone/Pckg (f)	Type Of Technology (g)
\gra	(4)	(4)	(-)	>6,000	3,000	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	Package	Fiber to the Home
Alton				>6,000	3,000	29.95	Package	Fiber to the Home
Athol				>6,000	3,000	29.95	Package	Fiber to the Home
Burr Oak				>6,000	3,000	29.95	Package	Fiber to the Home
Collyer				>6,000	3,000	29.95	Package	Fiber to the Home
Courtland				>6,000	3,000	29.95	Package	Fiber to the Home
Damar				>6,000	3,000	29.95	Package	Fiber to the Home
Downs				>6,000	3,000	29.95	Package	Fiber to the Home
Edmond	<u> </u>			>6,000	3,000	29.95	Package	Fiber to the Home
Esbon	<u> </u>			>6,000	3,000	29.95	Package	Fiber to the Home
Salatia	$\vdash$			6,000	1,500	42.95	Package	DSL
Saylord	Ť			>6,000	3,000		Package	Fiber to the Home
Gove	T			>6,000	3,000	29.95	Package	Fiber to the Home
Grainfield	T			>6,000	3,000	29.95	Package	Fiber to the Home
lill City	Ť			>6,000	3,000	29.95	Package	Fiber to the Home
onia				>6,000	3,000	29.95	Package	Fiber to the Home
lennings				>6,000	3,000	29.95	Package	Fiber to the Home
Censington				>6,000	3,000	29.95	Package	Fiber to the Home
ebanon				>6,000	3,000	29.95	Package	Fiber to the Home
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ong Island				>6,000	3,000	29.95	Package	Fiber to the Home
Morland	Ť			>6,000	3,000	29.95	Package	Fiber to the Home
latoma	Ť			>6,000	3,000	29.95	Package	Fiber to the Home
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Osborne				>6,000	3,000		Package	Fiber to the Home
alco	Γ			>6,000	3,000	29.95	Package	Fiber to the Home
rairie View	Γ			>6,000	3,000	29.95	Package	Fiber to the Home
Quinter	Γ			>6,000	3,000	29.95	Package	Fiber to the Home
Republic	Τ			>6,000	3,000	29.95	Package	Fiber to the Home
Rexford	T			>6,000	3,000	29.95	Package	Fiber to the Home
Russell	Ť			>6,000	3,000	29.95	Package	Fiber to the Home
Selden	<u> </u>			>6,000	3,000	29.95	Package	Fiber to the Home
/ictoria				>6,000	3,000	29.95	Package	Fiber to the Home

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	4. BROADBAND	SERVICE			
WaKeeney	>6,000	3,000	29.95	Package	Fiber to the Home
Webber	>6,000	3,000	29.95	Package	Fiber to the Home
Woodruff	6,000	1,500	42.95	Package	DSL
Woodston	· >6,000	3,000	29.95	Package	Fiber to the Home
Zurich	6,000	1,500	42.95	Package	DSL

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	PART D. SYSTE	M DATA			
1. No. Plant Employees 2. No. Other Employees 103	3. Square Miles Served	6,547	4. Access Lines per Squar	re Mile 1.29	5. Subscribers per Route Mile 1.39
	PART E. TOLL	DATA			
Study Area ID Code(s)     2. Types of Toll S	Settlements (Check on	e)			
a. 411826	`	Interstate:	Average Schedul	е	X Cost Basis
b c		Intrastate:	Average Schedul	e	X Cost Basis
d					
e					
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j					
PART F. F	UNDS INVESTED IN	PLANT DURING YEA	AR		
RUS, RTB, & FFB Loan Funds Expended					
Other Long-Term Loan Funds Expended					<del>-</del>
Funds Expended Under RUS Interim Approval					= =
Other Short-Term Loan Funds Expended					-
5. General Funds Expended (Other than Interim)					
6. Salvaged Materials					
7. Contribution in Aid to Construction					
8. Gross Additions to Telecom. Plant (1 thru 7)					
PART G. II	NVESTMENTS IN AFI	FILIATED COMPANI	ES		
	CURRENT	YEAR DATA		CUMULATIVE DA	ATA .
			Cumulative	Cumulative	
INVESTMENTS	Investment	Income/Loss	Investment	Income/Loss	Current
	This Year	This Year	To Date	To Date	Balance
(a)	(b)	(c)	(d)	(e)	(f)
Investment in Affiliated Companies - Rural Development			<u> </u>		}

2. Investment in Affiliated Companies - Nonrural Development

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PART H. CURR	ENT DEPRECIATION RATES	
Are corporation's depreciation rates approved by the regulatory authority with jurisdiction over the provision of telephone services? (Check one)		X YES NO
EQUIPMENT CATEGORY		DEPRECIATION RATE
Land and support assets - Motor Vehicles		
Land and support assets - Aircraft		
3. Land and support assets - Special purpose vehicles		
4. Land and support assets - Garage and other work equipment		23.98%
5. Land and support assets - Buildings		5.02%
6. Land and support assets - Furniture and Office equipment	15.57%	
7. Land and support assets - General purpose computers	18.57%	
8. Central Office Switching - Digital	11.58%	
Central Office Switching - Analog & Electro-mechanical		
10. Central Office Switching - Operator Systems		
11. Central Office Transmission - Radio Systems	14.28%	
12. Central Office Transmission - Circuit equipment		16.00%
13. Information origination/termination - Station apparatus		22.18%
14. Information origination/termination - Customer premises wiring		
15. Information origination/termination - Large private branch excha	anges	
16. Information origination/termination - Public telephone terminal e	equipment	19.58%
17. Information origination/termination - Other terminal equipment		19.58%
18. Cable and wire facilities - Poles		15.81%
19. Cable and wire facilities - Aerial cable - Metal	17.58%	
20. Cable and wire facilities - Aerial cable - Fiber	17.58%	
21. Cable and wire facilities - Underground cable - Metal		5.38%
22. Cable and wire facilities - Underground cable - Fiber		5.38%
23. Cable and wire facilities - Buried cable - Metal		5.68%
24. Cable and wire facilities - Buried cable - Fiber		5.68%
25. Cable and wire facilities - Conduit systems		6.48%
26. Cable and wire facilities - Other		

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INSTI							
	PART I – STATEMENT OF	CASH FLOWS					
1.	Beginning Cash (Cash and Equivalents plus RUS Construction Fund)						
	CASH FLOWS FROM OPERATING ACTIVIT	TIES					
2.	Net Income						
	Adjustments to Reconcile Net Income to Net Cash Provided by	y Operating Activities					
3.	Add: Depreciation						
4.	Add: Amortization						
5.	Other (Explain)						
	Net Plant Adjustments, Retirements and Salvage						
	Changes in Operating Assets and Liabilitie	es					
6.	Decrease/(Increase) in Accounts Receivable						
7.	Decrease/(Increase) in Materials and Inventory						
8.	Decrease/(Increase) in Prepayments and Deferred Charges						
9.							
10.							
11.	3. 4. 4, 4. 4. 4. 4. 4. 4. 4. 4. 4. 4. 4. 4. 4.						
12.							
13.	Net Cash Provided/(Used) by Operations	750					
	CASH FLOWS FROM FINANCING ACTIVIT	IES					
14.	Decrease/(Increase) in Notes Receivable						
15.							
16.	Increase/(Decrease) in Customer Deposits						
17.	Net Increase/(Decrease) in Long Term Debt (Including Current Maturities)						
19.	18. Increase/(Decrease) in Other Liabilities & Deferred Credits						
20.	Increase/(Decrease) in Capital Stock, Paid-in Capital, Membership and Capital Certificates & Other Capital						
21.	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·						
22.							
22.	Other (Explain) Change in Equity & Retained Capital Credits from Estates and k	ousiness liquidations as					
	dividends						
23.	Net Cash Provided/(Used) by Financing Activities						
	CASH FLOWS FROM INVESTING ACTIVIT	IES					
24.	Net Capital Expenditures (Property, Plant & Equipment)	<del></del>					
25.	Other Long-Term Investments	+					
26.	Other Noncurrent Assets & Jurisdictional Differences	+					
27.	Other (Explain)	<del></del>					
28.	Net Cash Provided/(Used) by Investing Activities						

29.

30.

Net Increase/(Decrease) in Cash

**Ending Cash** 

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### Part C. Subscriber Data Information

### 4. Broadband Service

We are now reporting Broadband Customers as having Speeds at the FCC Classification of Broadband of 4 Mbps Downstream and 1 Mbps Upstream. However we reported the Upstream as 1.5 Mbps as 1.0 Mbps is not an option.

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